

The Prayer of Abraham Gen 18:16-33

I.

A.

B.

II. The Walk of Abraham

A. The pre-requisite for Abraham's ability

Long the sentence was his walk. Gen 18
appears the Lord appears w/ 3 to visit w/ Abraham
Ch 13 V 3 indicates that Abraham knew...

B. The Lordship Expressed by Abraham

Read vs 3-8b upon arrival Abraham
prostrates within a vicinity of cincturing, preparing
the best for this heavenly visitor. His
labors are a telling sign of who is most
important. Abraham's walk set God in the
foreground. The Lord was on the throne.
He was conversated solely to God.

How can we expect God to respond
when we respond a balance of affection
between the world & God. There was no
about Abraham. James 4:4 Friendship w/ world & God

C. The friendship Expressed by Feasting
Abraham shared a feast with his
and shared in a meal of fellowship.
No pretense here, the conversational
was open and straightforward. Sun-
day nights around here. Things were
made known: Sarah's brother's
child, the length, the plans of
visiting Seader. Abraham giving
her having ability to prevail in
prayer was a clear sign of his heart
before the Lord. This scene is one of
close communion & intimacy w/ God

John 15:7 If ye
abide in me & my words abide in you, ask what ye will
& it shall be done unto you. John 15:14-15 If ye ask me
things according to his will, He will give them unto you.

III. The Wickedness of Sodom VS 10-13

A. We have seen the ability to interfere now see the ~~possibility~~ ^{Example} to interfere; Because of the wicked, rebellious, sinful heart of all there will always be ~~a~~ ^{Example} a necessity to interfere ~~is seen~~

B. It is Blatant Depravity - Sodom & Gomorrah are ~~places~~ ^{places} that shall forever be remembered its sinful & wicked immorality. The scenes from Ch 19 are enough to cause ~~the~~ even the wicked of our day to shudder the brutal sexual thraldom, sodomites found upon the door, Lot beginning with deceptions. But as the years go by a mirror of vile heinous has begun to constitute our nation. Abraham nearly was not a political action group! But to interfere ~~in~~ ^{for}

C. This Impending Destruction -

Note vs 11 I will go down... We serve a God of all knowledge all is marked & open... God is not a secret finding investigator. No! all you will trace this phrase thru the OT you will find it always connected with judgment Gen Ch 11 Babel "let us go down" God sends judgment. Abraham knew judgment was coming began immediately to interfere. It is 50 a similar situation is seen of sinfulness that came up but not intercessor to be found, no concern over immorality. God is astonished ~~for~~ ^{for} we know the end of the story! Judgment is coming. Prayers ~~intercessor~~ ^{family} funds

IV. The Words of God Hear Now

A. Abraham drew near with words in vs 23 "Wilt Thou?" The Words of God vs 26 "If I ^{Example} Prevailing in Prayer God near"

B. Prayer Based on Truth Hear? Read vs 23-25. Abraham based his prayer on the truth of the character of God who is righteous. Will I show ^{His} ~~right~~ ^{understanding} w/wicked? He calls upon ~~God~~ ^{God} character. He pleads & wrestles with God and God responds

C. Prayer Based on Tenderness ~~Prayer for~~ He Prays for the wicked: city of Sodom and he asks it on the truth & tenderness of Ab 50? 45? 40? 30? 20? 10? Oh God suffer longer, stop you have of wrath. We should pray for our nation our city, land and are the basis of the tender truth that God is not willing that my should... Mercy is high as heavens. Pray in hope. The Pleas of Abraham are affecting the response of God. No Alibi Hear - Prayer gets things done; Do we believe prayer is the golden key, which God himself has ~~been~~ ^{been} willing to enter his great treasure house of grace. OT! Use the Key no good will be refused, that ~~are~~ ^{are} things done.

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~~Sacrificing~~ into private
moment of Man's Commune w/ God

Praying Holy

Howard Rauhnhill

- Have many organizers few

organizers
players + Payers few
Prayers

Singers few

Changers

many fears few tears

much Fashion little passion

many instructors few intercessors

Abraham reaching out to God
in behalf of others
all these

intercessor - deeply involved

Bill - in someone else's need
pray about my needs
also pray for others needs

The Director of Cinema

Clinton to introduce

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